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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2005, please reconsider the above-referenced application based on the following:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include two (2) attached replacement drawing sheets.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.